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WASHINGTON ADVTs.
REDUCTION IN PRICES
—OF FIRST-CLASS—

Custom-made Shirts.

No. 1. Reduced to \$12; former price \$13.50 per half dozen.
No. 2. Reduced to \$15; former price \$16.50 per half dozen.
No. 3. Reduced to \$18 per half dozen.
An Inimitable Fit Guaranteed; Quality, Workmanship and Finish Unexcelled and Seldom Equalled.
Dress Shirts for Weddings and Receptions—The present fashion of linen cords, Embroidered Figures and Spot Bosoms most thoroughly and elegantly made.
Fancy Shirts in English Flannels, Zephyr, and Cheviot, and French Percalé.

R. H. Taylor,
933 Pennsylvania Avenue,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

BUILDING MATERIAL, &c.
PERRY, SMOOT & CO.
Steam Flooring & Planing Mill
Manufacturers of
DOOR and WINDOW FRAMES, MOLDINGS, &c.
Dealers in
LUMBER, SHINGLES, LATHS, NAILS, LIME, CALCINED PLASTER and CEMENT.
No. 25 NORTH UNION ST.,
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA
Lumber delivered in the city free.
ESTABLISHED 1822.

JOSIAH H. D. SMOOT,
DEALER IN
Lumber, Shingles, Laths,
NAILS, LIME, CEMENT, CALCINED PLASTER,
&c., &c., &c.
MANUFACTURER OF
FLOORING, DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, FRAMES, MOLDINGS, MANTELS, BRACKETS, AND ALL KINDS OF WOOD WORK.
Office and yard No. 21 North Union St., Factory Nos. 13 and 15 North Lee St., Alexandria, Va.
No charge for delivery in city. jan28
B. F. PEAKE,
Dealer in
DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, HARDWARE, PAINTS, OILS, LEADS, CEMENT, LUMBER, LIME, CALCINED PLASTER, SLATE MAN-
TLES, HEARTHES, &c., &c., &c.
Corner King and Pitt streets, Alexandria, Va.
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JAMES F. CARLIN & SONS,
NO. 63 KING STREET,
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
HARDWARE AND CUTLERY.
Buildings: Hardware, Locks, Hinges, Screws, Door Bolts, Latches, &c., Saddlery, Hardware, Bridle Bits, Buckles, Rings, Hames, &c., &c., Wheelwrights' Hardware, Axes, Rims, Hubs, Spokes, Sawed Fellows, Tire Irons, &c., Pocket Table, Carving, and Butcher Knives, &c., Guns, Pistols, &c. A full and complete stock of first-class goods away in store and sold at lowest prices.
jan15
JOHN T. CRIGHTON & SON,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
HARDWARE, CUTLERY, HORSESHOES, IRON PLOUGH CASTINGS, NAIL RODS, AXLE GREASE, WAGON MATERIALS, HOUSEKEEPER'S GOODS, &c.
No. 88 King street, Alexandria, Virginia

FISH DEALERS.
GEORGE E. PRICE & CO.,
DEALERS IN
FRESH AND SALTED FISH,
Will receive Fish daily from the shores of the Potomac, and will supply customers in quantities to suit, either fresh or salted by experienced pickers.
Country orders solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.
Our brand of BAKED FISH has always stood No. 1 in the market.
Stalls Nos. 2 and 3 City Market, and Fish House No. 1 Corporation Fish Wharf. mh12m

CASSARD'S
STAR BRAND
PURE LARD
Is making new friends every day. Consumers say that it goes so much further than the ordinary article that it is by far the most economical to use. Every package has a red seal stamp on the side. Don't be imposed upon with inferior goods. G. CASSARD & SON, Baltimore, Md., Curators of the Celebrated "Star Brand" Mild-cured Hams and Breakfast Bacon.
Landreth's Garden Seeds.
We have just received our first supply of the above celebrated seeds for this season.
Catalogues furnished upon application.
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.
PERRY'S HARNES OIL SOAP.
Three sizes—\$1, 50 and 25c sizes; the finest article in the world for harness. For sale by
W. F. CRIGHTON & CO.

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Six months.....3 00 Six months.....2 00
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The Gazette office is connected with the Telephone Exchange. Advertisements, orders for the paper, news or any information or business can be sent by Telephone.
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A Measure of Defense.
For three years in succession the railroad commissioners of New York have stood forward as defenders of the Erie canal against an insidious and dangerous form of aggression. Those who desire to see the canal abandoned in order to leave the coast clear for the New York Central declare that the railroad commissioners are transcending their legitimate power and duties in undertaking to protect that competing waterway. The commissioners take no such superficial view of their functions. They wisely regard the Erie canal as the key to the situation. They may fail to impress all their policy upon the railroad companies and upon the Legislature, but so long as the canal can be maintained as a free competitor for freight, there can be no monopoly in the carrying business during the season of navigation, and that much of relief will be assured to our merchants and shippers. Therefore, the commissioners have for three years past annually denounced the policy of discrimination adopted by competing rail lines against their customers who choose to ship goods by the canal in the summer months.

These men are required to pay higher rail freights in winter than those who give their entire business to the roads all the year round. This discrimination is in the nature of a fine inflicted upon persons who prefer to avail themselves of the cheap canal rates. Its evident effect, if not checked, can only be to diminish the volume of canal traffic, and so pave the way to a successful agitation in favor of closing the canal. The result would be a calamity so serious to the State that we cannot be too careful to prevent the possibility of its occurrence. The canal must be protected against assault, whether it comes in the form of a pick or spade used for cutting the bank and letting out the water, or a railroad discrimination leveled at the pockets of every man who dares to send his goods by canal instead of by the competing rail route.

The prime object of the Commissioners is not to attack the few who enjoy these preferential rates from the railroad companies, or to defend the many who suffer from the discrimination. The gains or losses of individuals have little to do with the case. The all important thing is to save the canal from these machinations and preserve it for all time as a natural and healthful regulator of freight charges, operating in this respect like the Hudson River, or the Sound, or any other means of free water communication. The best law that could be passed and the best commission that could be appointed might fail to curb the ambition and greed of great railroad corporations. But the silent operation of a free canal running the whole length of the State is powerful and unerring. If protected by the State in its right to live it will forever successfully defy all attempts of the railroads to overtax the traffic in grain and the other staples which seek the Erie canal during the summer.

A bill declaring such discrimination unlawful is again offered in the Assembly. The penalty proposed is a fine of \$1,000 for each offense. Hitherto, every measure of this character has been killed by the railroad lobby. Its reappearing will undoubtedly cause a flutter in the offices of the New York Central, and members of the Legislature may expect to be persistently button-holed by the agents of that line in opposition to the bill. But we trust they will have the manhood and the common honesty to resist all offers, however seductive, and do their plain duty to their constituents and the State by passing the bill, or some other that will have an equivalent effect.—N. Y. Journal of Commerce.

"Hello!" we heard one man say to another the other day. "I didn't know you at first; why, you look ten years younger than you did when I saw you last." "I feel ten years younger," was the reply. "You know I used to be under the weather all the time and now I'm up to the eyes in it. The doctor said I had consumption. I was terribly weak, had night sweats, cough, no appetite, and lost flesh. I saw Dr. Pierce's 'Golden Medical Discovery' advertised, and thought it would do no harm if it did no good. It has cured me. I am a new man because I am a well one."

Opening and Closing of the Mails.
Northern mails close at 7:30 and 10:10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Open at 8:30 and 10 a. m., 12:00 m. and 6:30 p. m.
Southern mails via Richmond, Va., close at 5:45 and 10:45 a. m., 4:15 and 9:00 p. m. Open at 8:30 and 11:00 a. m.
Southwestern mails via Charlottesville, Va., close at 8:50 a. m. and 9:00 p. m. Open at 8:30 a. m.
Massachusetts Division mails close at 2:30 p. m. Open at 10:00 a. m.
Alexandria and Round Hill, Va., mails close at 8:50 a. m. and open at 9:00 a. m.
Closed mails to Falls Church, Vienna, Fairfax, C. H. Herndon, Leesburg, and Purcellville, Va., close at 4:00 p. m. and open at 9:00 a. m.
Washington, D.C., mails close at 7:30 and 10:10 a. m., and 2:30, 4:15, 6:30 and 9:00 p. m. Open at 8:30 and 10:00 a. m., 12:00 m., and 3:00 and 6:30 p. m.
Office Hours—Open at 8:30 a. m. Close at 5:30 p. m. Open at 6:30 p. m. Close at 7 p. m.
Sunday Hours—Open at 9:00 a. m. Close at 9:30 a. m.
BREECH LOADING GUNS, fine quality. Shell ejecting, Double action and other Pistols, Loading Implements, Shells, Caps, Primers, Wads and other goods in same line, will be sold at low prices at 88 King, corner of Royal streets. Call and examine.
nov14 J. T. CRIGHTON & SON.

Boys' DANGEROUS GAME.—Screams of agony from a group of boys standing in the yard of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Pittsburgh, Saturday afternoon, speedily attracted a large crowd of people, where they discovered ten boys lying about, many of them maimed and disfigured from the effects of an explosion. The wildest excitement prevailed. It seems that a number of the boys who attend St. Mark's Sunday school were amusing themselves in the yard by pouring small quantities of powder from a flask into a pocket book and then exploding it. By some false move a lighted match was applied to the whole quantity of powder, when a terrific explosion followed. Ten of the juveniles were more or less frightfully burned, Joseph Hopkins seriously, in the face and neck.

"No Phisic, Sir, in Mine!"
A good story comes from a boys' boarding-school in "Jersey." The diet was monotonous and constipating, and the learned Principal decided to introduce some old style phisic in the apple sauce, and await the happy results. One bright lad, the smartest in school, discovered the secret mine in his sauce, and pushing back his plate, shouted to the pedagogue, "No phisic, sir, in mine. My dad told me to use nuthin' but Dr. Pierce's 'Pleasant Purgative Pellets' and they are a doing their duty like a charm!" They are anti-billions, and purely vegetable.

MEDICINAL.
25¢ A BOTTLE
SALVATION
SALVATION OIL
The Greatest Cure on Earth for Pain. Will relieve more quickly than any other known remedy. Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Swellings, Stiff Joints, Bruises, Sprains, Sore Throat, Cuts, Burns, Scalds, Croup, Whooping Cough, Hoarseness, Headache, Toothache, Stomach ache, Pains in the Back, Neck, and Limbs, and all other kinds of Pain. Sold everywhere. Price 25¢ per bottle. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup will cure your Cough at once. Price only 25¢ a bottle.

BOOTS AND SHOES.
Ask your retailer for the James Means' \$3 Shoe. Caution! Some dealers recommend inferior goods in order to make a larger profit. This is the original \$3 Shoe. Beware of imitations which will ruin your feet. The only way to get the best is to buy the original. None Genuine unless bearing this Stamp.
JAMES MEANS' \$3 SHOE.
For Gentlemen.
Made in Boston, Congress and Lace. Best Cut. Superior Quality. Durable. Comfortable. Appearance. A postal card sent to you will tell you how to get this shoe in any State or Territory.
J. Means & Co.
41 Lincoln St., Boston, Mass.
Our celebrated factory produces a large quantity of shoes of this grade than will tell you the value of our shoes. JAMES MEANS' \$3 Shoe for boys is unsurpassed in durability.
Full lines of the above shoes for sale by LEADING RETAILERS
Throughout the U.S.
jan14 3m

FLOUR.
Washington Flour & Feed Co.,
WASHINGTON, D. C.
Manufacturers of
HOMINY AND HOMINY GRITS.
Millers of
NEW PROCESS MEAL, FLOUR, MILL FEED, &c.
Highest current prices paid for Corn, Wheat, Rye, &c.
Prompt remittances. Country shipments solicited.
jan17 2m

CONFECTIONERS.
ALWAYS READY
Henry Brengle, Confectioner,
129 KING STREET,
Has his usual supply of goods in his line. His Oyster Parlors for Ladies and Oyster Rooms for gentlemen are also open. Patrons may rely upon picked Oysters, and the best cookery at all times and the lowest rates.
OYSTERS FRIED FOR FAMILIES.
BREGLE'S ICE CREAM, Pies for dessert or lunch, and Pure Candies are specialties in which he has never been excelled. Cakes of all kinds of the best material cheaper than they can be made at home. He caters of the best for families, parties, balls, fairs and entertainments.
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COUPONS.
VIRGINIA TAX-RECEIVABLE COUPONS, which can be used to discharge taxes on real and personal property, school and capitation taxes due the State, State licenses, fines, &c., for sale at a heavy discount.
Satisfactory written guarantees are given to purchasers which will save them harmless on account of a tender of these coupons.
jan11 1f
R. T. LUCAS, Agent.
AXES! AXES! AXES!—"Light Horse Harry" and "Red Warrior" Chopping Axes. Over 100 dozen of these celebrated goods in store. All the regular weights and shapes. Wholesale and retail.
JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS,
sepi4 Alexandria, Va.
SHEEP DIP, Sarc, Ground Sage, Diamond Dyes, Fitch's Pocket Scales, Hood's Sarsaparilla, Warner's Kidney and Liver Cure, Brown's Iron Bitters, Volina Cordial, Pratt's Astral Oil, and Sweet Majoran—a large supply just received.
dec1 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.
THOMAS'S LIQUID BLUE, IN PAPER BOTTLES, entirely free from acids, and guaranteed pure. The greatest quantity for the least money of any pure goods on the market. Don't fail to try it.
mh5 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.
BARB FENCING WIRE at the present time is very low in price. We have a large stock, and these in want will do well to call on us before buying.
JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS,
je15 Alexandria, Va.
BESQUE FIGURES, Lava Flower Pots, Vases in China and Glass; also "The Fairy Lamp," which is having such a run in other cities, and which has never been offered for sale here before.
dec13 E. J. MILLER, SON & CO.

MERCHANT TAILORS.
WILLIAM MURRAY,
NO. 123 KING STREET.
Informs his customers that he has received a supply of

NEW SPRING GOODS
And is now prepared to
FURNISH SUITS IN ALL THE LATEST
STYLES AND ON REASONABLE TERMS.
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COAL AND WOOD.
Marine Railway, Shipbuilding & Coal Co.
(Successors to John P. Agnew & Co.)
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS IN
Coal and Wood.
George's Creek, Cumberland Coal, Run of the Mine and Lump, WEST VIRGINIA SPLIT (The Finest Grade Coal), RED AND WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE, All sizes and best qualities.
Wood.
Hickory, Oak and Pine, in the stick or sawed and split.
All orders left at the drug store of W. F. Crighton or telephoned to our office will receive prompt attention.
Finest shipping facilities by rail and water.
Office and yard and wharves corner Franklin and Union streets.
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COAL.
We invite the attention of dealers and consumers to our large stock of CAREFULLY PREPARED COAL of the following varieties:
LYKEN'S VALLEY, LORREBERRY and SHAMOKIN REFINED, or broken, split, store and cut sizes.
Also GEORGE'S CREEK, CUMBERLAND and KANAWHA SPLIT, from West Va.
Making Coal a specialty we aim to keep up the HIGHEST GRADES, and having two large Storage Yards, each variety is kept separate, and is especially prepared for family use.
Cards to order and all Coal sent out WELL SCREENED AND FREE FROM IMPURITIES.
Dealers, families, public institutions and manufacturers supplied at lowest market rates—per ton of 2240 lbs.
J. C. ZIMMERMAN.
(Successor to T. J. McHaffey & Co.)
Wharf and Yard foot of Queen at
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AT FRENCH'S, 93 AND 95 KING STREET.
NEW PATENT "MOISTENER," for sealing envelopes, putting on stamps or moistening the fingers in counting money. Always ready for use. 50c.
Now receiving all the new styles in Stationery, and Visiting Cards; newest designs and finest goods.
VALENTINES in any quantity by the dozen or gross; all styles and prices.
PIANO AND ORGAN TUNING AND REPAIRING—I have arranged with Professor F. A. Fros, for many years the Tuner for the Churches, to attend to the tuning of the organs in this city. All orders left at the store will receive prompt attention.
feb5 GEO. FRENCH.

FLOUR!
We offer the following fine and choice brands of Flour at low figures:
Hungarian Fancy Patent, Lilly, Crystal, New South, Triumph, Herwood Choice Family, Tenney's Best, Cook's, White as Snow, Blue Ridge.
jan24 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.
DOMESTIC SEWING MACHINES.
The good qualities of the above machines are now well established.
We are selling them at as low a price as they can be purchased in any of the larger cities, and are prepared to allow as much for old machines of any kind as is possible.
We have seen so much good done by the "Domestic" that we wish every family to have at least one in their house. Prices fixed, but terms accommodating.
Call and examine, or send for a circular.
oct22 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.
FLOUR!
PILLSBERRY'S BEST MINNESOTA PATENT, JONES'S HUNGARIAN, BAKER'S CRYSTAL, TENNEY'S OUR NEW SOUTH CHOICE FAMILY.
The above are the finest brands of Flour made. ap20 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.
HEINEKEN'S VIRGINIA WINES.
Norton's Seedling Claret, Rose of Virginia, Extra Virginia, Virginia, Mill Park Sauterne.
All these Wines are absolutely pure. For sale by
my21 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.
S.S.S. DRY STATE! DRY STATE!
The above preparation, in 50-cent packages, for sale by
jy3 W. F. CRIGHTON & CO.
NEW VALENCIA AND DAHESA TABLE RAISINS, New Orleans, French Prunes, Jamaica Oranges and Malaga Lemons just received.
oct20 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.
JUST FROM THE FACTORY—10 dozen of the IMPROVED PATENT-STAY A.B.S. SHIRTS, the best goods ever offered in Alexandria for the price. Will outwear any \$1 shirt.
je2 At AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.
STONE'S COD LIVER OIL, a perfectly pure Oil, highly recommended by our city physicians. A supply just received by
dec1 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.
TURKEY-RED TABLE LINEN, fast colors, at 25c; pure Linen half-bleached at 25, 37, 45 and 50c; 2 yards wide at 62½ and 75c. For sale by
feb25 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER.
RODGERS'S FINE TABLE CUTLERY, Weiss's celebrated Scissors, and Rogers Bros.' Plated Spoons and Forks, for sale low by
nov3 JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS.
SQUARE, OCTAGON and FLAT CAST STEEL will be sold at 88 King street, corner of Royal, at a greatly reduced price. Quality warranted.
oct25 J. T. CRIGHTON & SON.
"C.L.T." OR CANNON'S LIVER TONIC, posted on all the boxes, &c., in our streets, is a good medicine and is for sale by
feb25 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.
75 BELLS CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR, best 75 known brands, bought before the advance, for sale low by
jan13 J. C. MCBURNEY & SON.
100 DOZEN NANTICOKE TOMATOES, very fine goods, just received by
nov23 J. C. MCBURNEY & SON.
SWEET CIDER received to-day by
jan8 W. A. JOHNSON & CO.
ATMORE'S Mince Meat and ENGLISH PLUM PUDDING.
nov24 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.
BEAUTIFUL BROCADED SILK MUFFLERS, from \$1.25 to \$2.50, at
dec21 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

FOR SALE.

HARLOW & CATON,
REAL ESTATE AGENTS AND BROKERS,
Room 2 Market Building.
Offer for sale on easy terms the following desirable city and country property:
IMPROVED PROPERTY (CITY).
Three-story brick dwelling and lot east side of Fairfax street, between Cameron and Queen.
Two-story frame dwelling and lot east side of Henry street, between Cameron and Queen.
Three-story brick house and lot, corner King street and the Strand.
Two-story frame dwelling and lot King street, between Payne and West.
Two-story brick dwelling and lot e. cor. Columbus and Oronoco streets.
Three-story brick dwelling and lot north side of Prince, between Lee and Union.
Two-story brick dwelling and lot Queen street, bet. Fayette and Henry.
Two-story frame dwelling and lot Fayette street, bet. Queen and Prince.
Three-story frame dwelling and lot and store adjoining s. e. cor. Fairfax and Gibbon.
Two-story frame dwelling and lot and store n. w. corner Fairfax and Gibbon.
Six two-story frame dwellings s. e. corner Alfred and Gibbon streets.
Three-story brick dwelling and lot Fairfax street, between Prince and Duke.
Two-story brick dwelling and lot Columbus street, between Prince and Duke.
Two-story brick dwelling, store and lot King street, between Prince and Henry.
Three-story half brick dwelling and lot 55 Prince st. between King and Prince.
Four-story brick building and lot known as the "Touche House," Cameron street, between Fairfax and Royal. This may also be leased on reasonable terms.
Two-story brick dwelling and lot s. w. corner Royal and Queen.
Three-and-a-half story brick dwelling and lot s. w. corner Patrick and King streets.
Two-story brick dwelling and lot corner Peyton and Cameron streets.
Two-story frame dwelling and lot corner Columbus street, between Wilkes and Gibbon.
Three-story brick dwelling, store and lot Royal st. between King and Prince.
Three-story brick dwelling and lot Royal street, bet. Cameron and Queen.
Two-story frame dwelling and lot Duke street, bet. Prince and Alfred.
Three-story brick dwelling and lot King street, bet. Prince and Oronoco.
Four-story brick dwelling and lot s. w. cor. Royal and Duke streets.
Three-story brick dwelling and lot Duke street, bet. Royal and Pitt.
Three-story brick dwelling and lot Washington st. between Cameron and Queen.
Three-story frame dwelling and lot Wilkes street, bet. Royal and Pitt.
Two-story brick dwelling and lot Union street, bet. Duke and Wolfe.
Two-story frame dwelling and lot Union street, bet. Duke and Wolfe.
Two two-story frame dwellings and lots Fairfax st. between Prince and Cameron.

VACANT LOTS.
Two lots 41 feet front on Lee, bet. Frank and Jeff. Lots Gibbon, between Royal and Fairfax.
Two lots Patrick, between Queen and Prince.
Four lots n. e. corner Washington and Wolfe.
Two lots Washington, bet. Oronoco and Pendleton.
Seven lots Columbus, bet. Oronoco and Pendleton.
Five lots Henry, between King and Prince.
Lot s. e. cor. Wilkes and Columbia.
Lot Wythe, between Pitt and Royal.
Lot Henry, between Duke and Prince.
Lot s. w. cor. Alfred and Wolfe.
Lot Columbus, between Pendleton and Wythe.
Lot s. w. cor. Pendleton, Royal and Pitt.
Ten lots Duke, west of West street.
Lot s. w. corner Prince and Patrick.
Lots Cameron, Payne and Fayette.
Lots n. e. corner Queen and Fairfax.
E. A. M. PROPERTY.

A large number of DESIRABLE FARMS in Alexandria, Fairfax, Loudoun, Prince William and Fauquier counties.
feb21 3m
GROCERIES, &c.
NEW GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE.
Mr. B. H. JENKINS
Announces that he has opened a Green Grocery and Provision Store at the southeast corner of Duke and Fairfax streets, where he will keep on hand a full stock of excellent goods. All kinds of MEATS and VEGETABLES together with STANDARD and FANCY GROCERIES, can be found in his store at reasonable prices. jan15
BUSINESS CARDS.
GO TO G. S. WALKER
—FOR—
Granite Monuments, Headstones, Tombs AND ENCLOSURES.
Three new granite polishing machines. Best facilities for monumental work. He guarantees the best of work, good stock and low figures.
Works—702, 704 and 706, North Capitol street, in rear of Government printing office, Washington, D. C.
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LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Statement U. S. Branch, June 30, 1885.
Assets.....\$5,918,563 13
Liabilities.....3,303,592 17
Surplus.....2,614,970 96
Total assets paid in the U. S.\$6,078,759 55
For policies in this excellent company apply to
PHILIP B. HOOE, Agent,
No. 2 Prince street.

HARDWARE, CUTLERY, GUNS, PISTOLS, &c., at 88 King street, corner of Royal, Alexandria, Va.—The subscribers invite the attention of wholesale and retail purchasers to their large and well selected stock of goods in their line, which were bought in quantity at bottom prices, and will be sold at a small advance. We invite a comparison of prices and quality of goods at 88 King, corner of Royal street.
sep14 J. T. CRIGHTON & SON.
MILK PANS—1 carload (6,000) TERRA COTTA MILK PANS just received from factory. These pans are taking the place of tin pans. The glass is perfectly indestructible, free from metals of all kinds and is guaranteed from crazing. As low priced as the common stone pan and much nicer.
feb15 E. J. MILLER, SON & CO.
HUMPHRIES' HOMEOPATHIC SPECIFICS
For sale by
feb23 J. D. H. LUNT.

OUR STOCK OF CUT-GLASS GOBLETs, Wines and Tumblers is very complete just now, besides a full assortment of Colored Glass Ware. We have some very handsome Lemonade, Punch and Water Sets, and we invite you to call and examine them and the prices.
dec13 E. J. MILLER, SON & CO.
CHOICE FLOUR.
BAKER'S CRYSTAL, TENNEY'S NEW SOUTH, FAMILY and ROLLER EXTRA.
For sale by
ap23 J. C. MCBURNEY & SON.
THE ENTERPRISE MEAT CHOPPER is the best; does not grind the meat, like other cutters, but CHOPS IT. It is useful for many purposes. ALL THE YEAR ROUND in preparing chicken salad, beef tea, mince meat, hashing, &c. For sale by
nov3 JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS, Alexandria, Va.

LANCASTER GINGHAM EIGHT CENTS, Cottonade for Pants, Cottons of all qualities and Calicoes at lowest prices. Flannels by the yard of all colors, as cheap as they can be found, for sale by
feb18 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER.
PAINT YOUR BUGGY FOR ONE DOLLAR.
Another supply of CROWN CARBIDE GLOSS PAINT; ready for use; only one coat necessary. For sale by
sep6 W. F. CRIGHTON & CO.

WIRE-COVERED DOOR AND WINDOW FRAMES and SCREEN WIRE of assorted widths in quantities to suit, at 88 King street, corner of Royal.
my21 J. T. CRIGHTON & SON.
20 BOXES BLOATERS just received by
feb24 J. C. MCBURNEY & SON.

AUCTION SALES.

SALE OF ARMORY HALL.
By virtue of a deed of trust executed by "The Alexandria Light Infantry Building Company," dated September 29th, 1881, and of record in the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, in liber No. 10, page 369, and at the request of the holder of the notes secured thereby, the undersigned, trustee, on and after the 12th day of April, 1887, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the premises, offer for sale at public auction, ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND WITH THE BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS thereon, situate on Royal street, in the City of Alexandria, and bounded and described as follows:
Beginning at a point of the east side of Royal street, 88 feet 4 inches south of Prince street, and running thence east parallel to Prince street 113 feet; thence south parallel to Royal street 45 feet; thence West parallel to Prince street 113 feet 4 inches; thence north on Royal street 45 feet to the lot of the late J. H. H. H. together with the FIXTURES and FURNITURE in and upon the said premises, belonging to the said The Alexandria Light Infantry Building Company.
Terms of sale: Cash.
JULIAN T. BURKE, Trustee.
N. P. T. BURKE.

18,000 BUSHELS OF LIME FOR SALE.
As receiver in the chancery cause of Wilbert vs. Beach, I will sell at private sale at a time, place, and quantity to suit purchasers, all the SHELL LIME at said kilns, amounting to about 18,000 bushels. All lime not sold by THURSDAY, March 10th, 1887, I will sell at public auction, at 12 o'clock m., on that day, on the premises.
Terms of Sale: Cash.
feb19 td W. H. SMITH, Receiver.

By Green & Wise, Auctioneers.
TRUSTEE'S SALE.
SIXTY-FIVE ACRES OF LAND IN ALEXANDRIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

Under a deed of trust from H. Dwight Smith and wife to me, as trustee, dated July 2, 1877, of record in liber C. No. 4, page 550, et seq., of the land records of Alexandria county, Virginia, I will sell at public auction on SATURDAY, March 12, 1887, at 12 o'clock m., at the Fairfax street entrance to the Corporation Court room of the city of Alexandria, Va., A TRACT OF LAND in said county, containing SIXTY-FIVE ACRES, one road and twelve and a half poles, improved by a SMALL FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, situated near the intersection of the Columbia turnpike with the road to Alexandria, Va., being what was formerly a part of the "Brookland" farm, owned by Bushrod W. Hunter, and now and lately in possession of Samuel Cochran.
Terms of Sale: Cash.
mh1 eots ANDREW JAMIESON, Trustee.

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